



Arkansas AFL Leadership Fight Starts

Little Rock, May 26 —(UP)—A hard-fought battle for the presidency of the Arkansas Federation of Labor Unions today as that organization prepared to wind up its 1948 day convention here.

The fight moved out in the open tonight when supporters of Odell Smith announced that he would oppose President Charles W. Mowery in his bid for reelection. Smith, head of the chauffeurs, teamsters and warehousemen local in Little Rock.

Charges and counter-charges were made throughout the day by the two camps, culminating in a "victory statement" by Smith's supporters. His headquarters claimed that he already has secured the support of a majority of delegates to the convention pledged to his support.

Mowery meanwhile branded as "cham-jees" reports from the Smith camp that he would withdraw in his race for reelection to a seventh year as AFL president. The fight between the two camps on the aspects of a state political scrap when the Hot Springs man was praised highly by Gov. Sid McMath, a morning speaker. Mowery himself denied that the contest indicated a split in the state organization.

Meanwhile A. U. DeBruque of Fort Smith denied that he was a candidate for secretary-treasurer, post now held by S. V. Zinn.

Yesterday's session also was highlighted by an attack on the American Medical Association by Dr. Carter, international representative of the Teamsters Union.

Carter charged that the association was "seeking a closed shop in opposition to socialized medicine."

"What's wrong with giving a man in indigent circumstances some medical treatment even if he is unable to pay for it?" Carter asked.

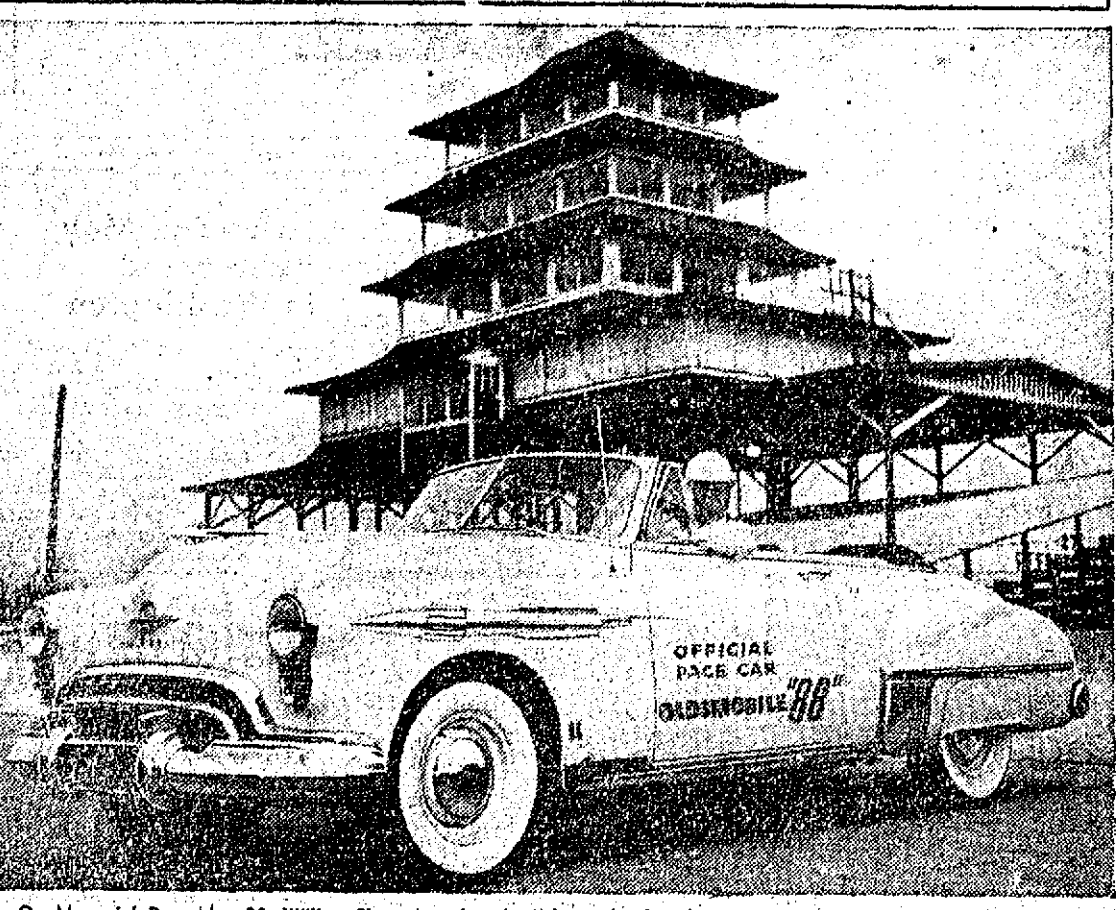
"There's nothing wrong with it and it would help raise national standards of living."

He also made a blistering attack on states' rights, classing them as "scabs."

"They are the same as men who walk through a picket line and scab on you," he asserted.

J. L. Rhodes, southern director for the American Federation of Labor, told the convention that the gap between living standards of southern and northern workmen was

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Presbyterians Open 89th Conference

Montreat, N. C., May 26 —(UP)—The general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States opens its 89th session tonight, with 400 representatives from the entire South ready to debate union with the northern church.

The ministers and ruling elders of the 87 Presbyteries of the church may also be asked for a clear statement of the church's attitude on divorce and the marriage of divorced persons.

The meeting will run through next Tuesday.

Dr. C. Darby Fulton of Nashville, Tenn., retiring moderator, will open the session and preach the moderational sermon which usually falls of the state of the church. His successor will then be elected and will preside for the rest of the session.

Main business of the session begins tomorrow, with the assembly asked to reorganize its agencies by the end of the current church year, next March 31.

The 1948 general assembly in Atlanta asked for a five-year delay in considering reunion with the Presbyterian church U.S.A., the northern branch of the denomination. But the issue was expected to be debated—though not decided—in this session. Dr. Dunbar H. Ogden of New Orleans, chairman of the committee on cooperation and union, will suggest ways of better acquaintance and cooperation with the northern church.

Dr. Frank C. Brown of Dallas, chairman of the committee on evangelism, is expected to report that the church did not reach its goal of 100,000 new members in the last church year.

Dr. Vessor T. Hoot, executive secretary, will speak tomorrow morning.

White Flag

Embarkment Building's lower floor continuing but tenants, including some 500 foreigners, were trying to get the Nationalists there to quit fighting.

Three persons in the Broadway Mansions said they saw a Nationalist machine gunner firing from the Red Cross marked entrance to the Shanghai General Hospital on the north bank of the creek at the Honan bridge.

After the white flag was raised at the postoffice occupants tried unsuccessfully to call the attention of the gunner to the flag.

The whole city breathed a sigh of relief for the thousands of Chinese civilians on the Bund and north of Soochow Creek who had been trapped since early yesterday. They had endured all sorts of fire.

The United States and British consulates were trying to intercede with both sides for a cease-fire order to enable trapped foreigners and other non-combatants to escape from the Embarkment Building.

One report said that foreign and Chinese residents of the building had offered Chinese Nationalist soldiers money to evacuate the building and eliminate it as a prime target. The soldiers replied that if they left they would be shot by garrison troops and if they stayed they would be shot by Red troops.

For almost 24 hours small Nationalist forces had kept the Reds away from the bridges.

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being closed by union efforts in the south. He said this gap formerly was one of 25 per cent and now has been narrowed to ten per cent.

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 - 6:25 Today in Sports
 - 6:30 Gabriel Heatter—M
 - 6:45 Fulton Lewis, Jr.—M
 - 7:00 Hope High School Commencement
 - 8:00 Fishing Guide
 - 8:05 Drifting on a Cloud
 - 8:30 Sing for Your Supper—M
 - 9:00 Inside of Sports—M
 - 9:15 Time to Dance
 - 9:30 Musical Newsreel—M
 - 9:45 Concert Notebook—M
 - 10:00 All the News—M
 - 10:15 Dance Music—M
 - 10:55 Mutual Reports the News
 - 11:00 Sign Off
- Friday a. m.
- 5:30 Sign On
 - 5:30 Rhythm Roundup
 - 5:55 News, Sunrise Edition
 - 6:00 Markets
 - 6:05 Musical Interlude
 - 6:15 Farm Breakfast
 - 6:30 Quartet
 - 6:40 Hillbilly Hit Parade
 - 6:55 News, Breakfast Edition
 - 7:00 Musical Clock
 - 7:40 Morning Devotional
 - 7:55 News, Coffee Cup Edition
 - 8:00 Sunrises Serenade
 - 8:30 Party Line Patter
 - 8:55 News, Arkansas Roundup
 - 9:00 Cecil Brown, News—M
 - 9:15 Mystery Melodies
 - 9:30 Georgia Crackers—M
 - 9:45 Tom, Dick & Harry—M
 - 10:00 Passing Parade—M
 - 10:15 Victor H. Lindahl—M
 - 10:30 Against the Storm—M
 - 11:00 Kate Smith Sings—M
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 - 11:30 Lanny Ross—M
 - 11:45 Gabriel Heatter's Mail—M
- Friday p. m.
- 12:00 News, Home Edition
 - 12:10 Market Time
 - 12:15 John Daniel Quartet
 - 12:30 Langworth Military Band
 - 12:45 Eddy Arnold Show—M
 - 1:00 Queen for a Day—M
 - 1:30 Bob With Music—M
 - 2:00 Bob Poole's Show—M
 - 2:30 Luncheon at Sardi's—M
 - 3:00 Airline Melodies
 - 3:15 Keynotes by Carle
 - 3:30 1949 City
 - 4:00 Swing Time
 - 4:45 Start the Music (Marines)
 - 5:00 Superman—M
 - 5:30 Captain Midnight—M
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 - 7:30 Carmen Cavallaro Orch.—M
 - 7:55 Bill Henry, News—M
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- Top Radio Programs
- New York, May 26 —(P)—Topics Tonight (Thursday):
- NBC — 7 Henry Aldrich; 8 Al Jolson, Finale, Groucho Marx, Guest; 8:30 Dorothy Lamour, Show; 9 Screen Guild "Flesh and Fantasy."
 - CBS — 7 FBI in Peace and War; 8 Frederic March in Suspense; 8:30 Crime Photographer, ABC; 9 Countr' Spy; 8 Go For the House Quiz.
 - MBS — 7 Air Force Program; 8:30 Fish and Hunt, new time.
- Friday programs:
- NBC — 1 p. m. Double or Nothing; 7 Perry Como Supper Club; 1:30 Jimmy Durante.
 - CBS — 12:45 Guiding Light; 2:30 The Lewis Show; 7 Jack Carson Comedy.
 - ABC — 8 a. m. Breakfast Club; 8:30 p. m. Lone Ranger; 8 Break the Bank.
 - MBS — 11 Kate Smith Show; 1:30 p. m. Say It With Music; 8:30 Enchanted Concert.

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By JAMES MARLOW

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a vocational agriculture course at state would be approved.

Later in the day Jones, who also was in Little Rock, said the decision is entirely up to the U. S. Office of Education and that "as far as I know, no state institution or agency has any authority in this matter."

State education commissioner A. B. Bonds declared there was "no open warfare between the two schools."

Both Bonds and the U. S. Office of Education said the Washington office is making a survey to determine if: (1) there is a need in Arkansas for more vocational agriculture training than the university can provide; and (2) if facilities for providing such training at state are equal to those at the university.

The decision, they said, will be based on answers to these questions.

W. P. Beard of the Washington office said there had been no undue delay in acting on the case. Edens explained that unless credits for the state college course are recognized by the federal agency, secondary schools employing state graduates as vocational agriculture instructors would not be eligible for federal aid.

Here and There in Arkansas

By The Associated Press

An accidental electrocution Wednesday boosted Arkansas' violent death toll for the week to 11.

Frank Apple, 50, of Belleville was killed when a well drill he was setting up on a farm near Danville touched an electric power line.

Little Rock, May 26 —(P)—The survey of Arkansas' system of higher learning will be financed in part by the state supported colleges.

The executive committee of the state commission on higher education voted yesterday to assess the colleges a total of \$10,000 on the basis of amounts the schools receive from the state.

The commission, directed by the 1949 legislature to make the survey, has received grants of \$7,500

investigated by the FBI to see whether he's a Communist? Just where is the line drawn?

each from the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching and the general education board. It expects further out-of-state financial aid.

Little Rock, May 26 — (UP)—The state of California has agreed to return M. C. Wade to Arkansas to complete a two-year prison term for car theft on a Union county conviction.

Wade escaped from the Arkansas prison farm 27 years ago. Married and the father of six children, he recently was arrested in California and sentenced to a short jail term on a charge of non-support. A check of his records revealed Wade was wanted in

Arkansas and Gov. Sid McMath's office said he would be returned after June 4.

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Social Calendar

Friday, May 27
The Adult "B" department fish fry will be held Friday, May 28th at fair park at 7 p. m. The J. O. Y. class members will be honorary guests.

The Adult choir of the First Baptist church will rehearse, Friday evening 7:15 o'clock.

The Azalea Garden club will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Emmett Thompson, with Mrs. Cecil Wyatt and Mrs. Moody Willis, co-hostesses.

The Friday Music club will meet Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. B. C. Hyatt.

Sunday, May 29
The piano pupils of Mrs. Basil York will be presented in recital, Sunday May 29, at 4 p. m. in the high school auditorium. The public is invited.

Monday, May 30
Invitations have been issued by Mrs. Alva Williams, Jr., Mrs. Fred Robertson, Mrs. Jack Fielding, and Mrs. James McLarty, Jr. for a brunch, Monday, May 30, from 10 to 12 to be given in the home of Mrs. A. S. Williams, Sr., 915 S. Elm St. for the pleasure of Miss Carlene Bruner, bride-elect of Talbot Field, Jr.

Miss Lucille Ruggles, Honored Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Allen entertained at their home on Tenth st. for the pleasure of Miss Lucille Ruggles, Tuesday evening. For the occasion, the Allen home was attractively decorated with arrangements of blue hydrangeas.

During the evening, movies were shown and after the opening of gifts, a lovely birthday cake with ice cream was served to the 23 guests present. Miss Verla Allen assisted the hostesses in serving.

P. E. O. Holds Final Meeting
Mrs. Clyde Monts was hostess to members of Chapter A. E. of P. O. Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. F. C. Crow, president, was in charge of the meeting and conducted the business session. A rummage sale was planned for the near future and during the social hour, the members classified and marked the rummage.

Mrs. Monts served a delicious salad plate with iced tea to the 12 present.

P. E. O. Entertained at Luncheon
The Hope Chapter AE of the P. E. O. were entertained at a one o'clock luncheon, Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Byron Goodson in DeQueen. The luncheon

was served buffet style and the yellow and white color scheme which featured "The Marguerite". Following the luncheon, the business session was held. Mrs. Hershel Procter, president of Chapter B welcomed the guests from Hope. Response to the welcome was given by Mrs. F. C. Crow. Contests were held and a quiz program was enjoyed.

Mrs. Gene Hall invited the members to her home for a showing of her many lovely antiques, after which she served punch and cookies.

The Hope members attending the luncheon were: Mrs. H. O. Kyles, Mrs. E. P. O'Neal, Mrs. F. C. Crow, Mrs. W. W. C. Compton, Mrs. Claude Nunn, Mrs. Mae Stuart, Mrs. Franklin Horton, Mrs. Earl Powell, Jr., Mrs. W. Y. Foster, Miss Mable Ethridge, Miss Beryl Henry and Mrs. Clyde Monts.

Coming and Going

Mrs. Don Westbrook and Mrs. B. F. Slater of Texarkana were Tuesday visitors in Hope.

Mrs. Edward Weisiger, Mrs. Bruce Galvraith, Mrs. Jesse Weisiger, Mrs. Andrew Matthews of Hendersonville, Tenn., and Mrs. Gordon Wherry of Nashville, Tenn., and Mrs. J. R. York of Texarkana will arrive Saturday to visit in the home of Mrs. David Davis.

Miss Jeanette Minton of Dallas arrived Thursday morning for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Minton, and to attend the Commencement exercises Thursday night.

College Notes

Among the students graduating at Henderson State Teachers College, Monday, May 30, are Robert Henry Bates, and Kathleen Camp of Hope, N. C. Mac McClendon, Lewisville, William Clyde Robertson, Hope, Tillman Wallace Wilson of Prescott. They will receive their Bachelor of Science in Education degree. David Conner Wallace of Prescott will receive the Bachelor of Science degree.

Fred Lee Posey of Prescott, will receive a degree in Bachelor of Music Education. Denzil Ray Cowan of Mineral Springs, Stella Husky Force, Irma Marie Hamby, Benjamin G. Hines and Eunice Bradley Short of Prescott and Robert James Foster of Bevins will receive the Bachelor of Art Degree.

Hospital Notes

Julia Chester admitted; Mrs. Jack Fielding, Hope.
Discharged: Mrs. Troy Janoe and daughter, Connie Louise, Hope.

Josephine
Admitted: Mrs. Brice Anderson, Hope.
Discharged: Mrs. Jack Houser and little daughter, Hope Rt. 3; Mr. Joe Woodson, Rt. 5; Prescott. Mr. and Mrs. Brice Anderson, Hope announce the arrival of a daughter on May 26.

The Doctor Says:

BY EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

Those people who have passed a kidney stone and have had other painful experiences usually say that the stone is the worst pain that they ever had. Certainly, the pain is terrific; sometimes, however, a kidney stone can be passed without any pain whatever.

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Births

The enclosed list of births occurred in Hempstead county up to May 20:

White
Willie and Lois O'Steen, Hope
boy-William Percy.
Nallan and Norma Wylic, Emmet
girl-Deborah Jo.
Gravel and Rosie Townsend
Hope girl-Mary Nell.
William and Charles Caldwell,
Prescott, girl, Wildean.
George and Maggie Garrett,
Hope, boy, George Cannon, Jr.
Victor and Doris Fulton, Hope,
girl, Janice Lea.
James and Vernia Franks, Hope,
girl, Peggy Nell.
Otis and Martha Blackwood, Fulton,
boy, Otis Wilson.
Edmond and Ozella Muncey,
Hope, boy, Eddy Ray.
William and Geraldine Jones,
Hope, girl, Maria Dianne.
Edward and Dorothy McDowell,
Hope, boy, George Cannon.
Claude and Kathleen Nunn, Fayetteville, boy, Remmel Tolleson.
Jack and Bonnie Reese, Hope,
girl, Brenda Joan.
Joy and Barbara Hollis, Hope,
boy, Sidney Wayne.
Wallis and Glenda Monroe, Hope,
boy, Jerry Wallis.
Floyd and Maxine Hisslop, Hope,
twins, Carolyn Dianne and Marilyn Louise.
Cecil and Ruby Clayton, Hope,
boy, Bobbie Joe.
Joe and Mildred Threat, Nashville, boy, unnamed.
Joseph and Minnie Breedlove, Hope, boy, Clifton Cannon.
Keston and Johnnie Clark Patis, boy, Robert Leon.
Dorsey and Freddie Fuller, Hope, boy, Dorsey Ray, Jr.
Jan and Francis Turner, Hope,
twins.
Thowell and Minerva Frierson, Hope, boy.
Joseph and Jewel Witherspoon, Hope, boy.
Albert and Lucile Stuart, Hope, boy.
Leonard and Frances Monk, boy, Hope.
Emory and Thelma Lindsey, Hope, boy.
Robert and Fannie Porter, Dayton, Ohio, girl.
Rogers and Dorothy Williamson, Washington, girl.
Hubbie and Clara Porter, Columbus, boy.
Tyler and Gracie Witherspoon, Columbus, boy.
Leonard and Callie Soil, Hope, boy.

move down the passageway or ureter, they scrape and irritate the tender walls of the passage. This causes painful spasms and the bleeding which is usually present. Of course, if the stone fills the ureter entirely, it blocks the flow of urine from the kidney and causes the urine to back up behind the stone, thus producing further complications.

Salt Disturbance
Some disturbance of unknown cause in the excretion of certain salts which are ordinarily carried in a liquid form in the urine is the most probable reason for kidney stones. Deficiency of vitamins, slowing of circulation in the kidney and chronic infection seem also to be at fault at least in some cases.

There are at least two stages in the treatment of kidney stones. The first is to ease the immediate pain and other symptoms. So far as the pain is concerned, this involves the liberal use of pain-killing drugs. As soon as possible, the stone must be assisted to leave the point at which it is stuck, as it may damage the passageway or the kidney itself. In locating the stone, the X-ray is, of course, of tremendous value.

It is not enough simply to get over the immediate effects of a kidney stone. The stone should be studied for its chemical makeup. When this is done, it often becomes possible for the physician to recommend a diet or other measures which will help to prevent the formation of additional stones.

QUESTION: Is sunshine good or harmful for tuberculosis?
ANSWER: At the present time many specialists in tuberculosis disagree on the value of sunshine. Overdoses of sunshine would be harmful; when increased gradually it is safe and may be helpful, although there is some difference of opinion concerning it.

Albrecht Is Strikeout King of the Loop

By The Associated Press

No one could dispute Eddie Albrecht's claim to the title of strikeout king in the Cotton States League today.

The Pine Bluff righthander recorded more whiffs than any other pitcher in the Class C circuit last year and is far ahead again this season.

The clinching argument was Eddie's performance under the most trying of circumstances.

Wednesday night, when the Cardinals nipped Clarksdale's Planters, 2-1, in 11 innings.

The clubs were tied up at 1-1 when Clarksdale loaded the bases on Pine Bluff starter, Art Nelson.

With one out, Albrecht was called in for relief duty and promptly struck out three batters in a row.

Then he held the Planters at bay until Rosie Cantrell, former Southern Association slugging star, broke up the game with a homer in the 11th.

After Rosie Cantrell homered Pine Bluff ahead in the top half of the 11th, Card Starter Art Nelson loaded the sacks with none out in the last half.

Albrecht was rushed in and struck out two Planters and forced another to ground out, ending the game.

In the league's other game, Greenwood's Fred Waters set the first Springs record down with two hits for 2-0 triumph.

El Dorado got off behind but without a hit, used walks and Buck errors to score three times in the second inning.

It was a home run with one aboard for Greenville in the second.

Floyd and Vernice Post, Prescott, girl.
John and Helen Pugh, Hope, girl.
James and Celia Williams, Hope, twins.
George and Veola Reed, Hope, boy.
John and Birdie Thomas, Hope, boy.
Rufus and Gracie Young, Hope, boy.
Walter and Mary Hall, Hope, boy.
George and Minnie Conway, Hope, girl.
James and Alice Dunn, Hope, boy.
Jettie and Katena Dennis, Hope, girl.

ISLAND OF ESCAPE By Hugh Lawrence Nelson

The Story: Bea Cosgrove is not satisfied that the death of Lilly Warren on Spear Island is suicide. There are nine people on the island who might have done it, including Bea whose pistol was found beside the body. One of the men, Miguel Oak, a fishing boat captain, whose presence is unknown to all but Bea, George Bascombe comes to tell Bea that Fred Silwell, his boss, whose yacht was wrecked offshore, wants to talk to her. In his conversation George reveals there is blood in a cave where he has hidden a supply of whiskey. He thinks one of Harding's sheep was killed there. Bea also learns that Lilly knew a rummage sale. Bea takes leave of George and goes to talk to Silwell.

Fred nodded approval. "I thought you were smart."
"Now it's my brains he admires," she said.
Fred's eyes narrowed. "I pay my money, go, but you can't hold me up."
"We'd get somewhere quicker if you told me what it is you want."
"Information."
Bea showed surprise. "About more whiskey?"
"No. But thanks for the reminder." He drank and hid the bottle again. "I want to know what goes on here. I don't know for sure whether the radio's broken or not. Does Harding want to keep us here? And so why?"
"Mollie," Bea suggested.
"Maybe. And if that's all, it's one thing. If it's something else, I want to know. As I told you, I'll pay well for information."
"You knew Lilly Warren before didn't you?"
Fred sighed. "I suppose she told you. But I isn't any secret as far as I'm concerned. I used to see her around. She was a party girl and getting too far for it. Maybe she thought this was her last good chance to get set."
"You think that's she killed herself?"
"How should I know? Could be. And everyone's got an alibi for the death time Harding set."
"You mean he could have changed the time to suit?"
"Let's put it this way," Fred Silwell's eyes were sharp, probing. "Maybe he knew enough to fix a time that accurately. He fixed Mollie up as if he knows what he's doing. He's the only one here that does know though. He could have fixed up the time to suit himself."
"That sounds as if you think Lilly Warren was killed," Bea Cosgrove said softly.
"Don't go putting words in my mouth," Silwell snapped irritably. He lit a candle, stuck it in the neck of an empty bottle. "My last match," he grumbled. "We're wasting time and it's getting late. You're nosy. You can make some dough out of it. I want to know what goes on."

"If there's something wrong," she pointed out, "it wouldn't be very healthy to go nosing around."
"No. But you can get away with it where I couldn't."
"I'll think it over," Bea said.
"You do that. Think hard. Remember, no pay unless what you dig up is exclusively mine."
Miss Cosgrove nodded, walked to the door. It opened before she could touch the knob. Mollie Stark hurried inside, stopped abruptly when she saw Bea.
"Oh. Oh. I see. Did I interrupt?" If the words were innocent, the look she gave the ruffled coat left no doubt as to her meaning.
"Shut the door when you go out. Miss Cosgrove," Fred ordered. She closed it gently behind her because she felt like slamming it. Lights from the main house showed through the gathering dusk. It

Here and There in Arkansas

Little Rock, May 24 — (AP) — The state of Arkansas may have a surplus of a million dollars or more at the end of its current fiscal year June 30.

Comptroller Lee Roy Bosley said today state revenues collected this year have exceeded commitments for the year by \$1,000,000. And collections for one more month are yet to be made.

Any surplus will be carried over to the 1949-51 fiscal year under the revenue stabilization law.

Forrest City, May 25 — (AP) — An automobile and a large truck collided near here early today, killing man and injuring three others.

Victim was Charles T. McKerny (1301 N. Kansas), El Paso, Tex. (age unavailable), who was driving the automobile.

McKerny's brother, Jack, also of El Paso, suffered minor cuts and bruises. Another passenger in the auto, Robert Hawkins, (address unavailable) suffered a broken leg.

State trooper Gordon Bessett said the truck was driven by L. C. Cleveland of Moulton, Ala., who suffered minor injuries.

Little Rock, May 25 — (AP) — An effort to stimulate interest in better facilities in Arkansas communities was made by the state health department.

The department today announced as its first step the establishment of an Arkansas health council. This group will meet with county health workers who then will have the job of alerting their communities to a need for improved health facilities and for local contributions to provide for them.

and frame, and El Dorado's John Patrick hit a four-bagger in the eighth.

At Natchez, Lawrence Fox registered his fourth victory against no defeats as he held Helena to seven hits. He was in trouble only in the second, when the Seaporters rallied three times.

Waters not only did a masterful job of pitching at Greenwood, but also drove in the Dodgers' first run — which would have been enough to win — with a single in the inning. The lefthander didn't allow a hit until the seventh, when Dan Phalen cracked a double.

Thursday night's games: Hot Springs at Greenwood. Pine Bluff at Clarksdale. Helena at Natchez. Greenville at El Dorado.

He jumped at the tiny whisper, made out the figure of George Bascombe peering around the corner of the hut. She walked toward him, saw the finger on his lips as he asked for silence.

"If you want to eavesdrop," he whispered, "go around back. There's a good place there." He did not wait to see if his suggestion was carried out, but strode up toward the main house.

Miss Cosgrove dismissed the reason for the information put it to use. She skirted the sides of the cabin, saw a chink of light coming through a misshapen small hole where a knot had fallen from the unseasoned timber. George had been accurate. She could hear very well.

"I told you not to come here again," Silwell said.
"I don't care. Mollie's tired looking at old drizzlepuss. It's no fun. It doesn't do anything. Just talk. Mollie wants to have fun like she used to."
"You'll do as I say. It won't be much longer."
"Too long already," Mollie said and Bea could visualize the pout.
"Much too long. This is a nasty old island. And he's a nasty old man."
"You didn't think so. He's rich."
"But he doesn't do anything," Mollie repeated.
"It won't be long before you'll be back in L. A. with all the money you want. Think of the fun you'll have then." Silwell was patient, but Bea could sense a strong strain.
"That'll be fun," Mollie said. "But it better not be too long."
"I told you it wouldn't be. Give me a couple of days. And stop coming down here. He might see you and get ideas."
"Ideas? Mollie doesn't think he could get an idea. But I'll be good. I know you can't do without me." Bea heard the door close. Fred Silwell swore softly, viciously. There was the sound of a cork being drawn. He laughed then, a low, wet sound without humor. "Don't be too sure, Mollie. Don't be too sure."
(To Be Continued)

Bendix Reveals New Washer to State Dealers

Before an audience of Arkansas dealers and salesmen, 555, Incorporated yesterday introduced the Economatic of Bendix Home Appliances, Inc. of South Bend, Ind.

An automatic agitator washer created around a revolutionary system of washing, draining and drying. The product, representing two years of experiment and development and the expenditure of approximately \$2,500,000, will have its public showing in Bendix dealers stores on June 6. A spectacular Metalexaloy "Wonderdub" provides a new method which Bendix claims is "stairing" in simplicity and effectiveness and 555, Incorporated, hailed Economatic as "the simplest and lowest-priced automatic washer in the world." It will cost at \$179.95. Production has reached a schedule assuring a steady flow to meet demands of the company's 79 distributors and 7,500 dealers all over the United States.

Nation-wide newspaper advertising, including company, distributor and dealer price quotations, will begin June 6 and will inaugurate a seven-week launching program. Economatic will be told on radio spots in 1,720 broadcasts over 80 stations. A special movie on the Economatic will be available to dealers.

Advertising will emphasize the theme that the Bendix Economatic is "The Washer That Couldn't Happen." Its way secret is the triple-action Wonderdub, a tub that washes, floataway, drains and squeezes dry and is sold at a price you wouldn't believe.

Judson Sayre, President of the Bendix company, emphasized that prices and Bendix gave them a new machine at a price far below anything they had expected. This is typical of the American people who demand better merchandise at lower prices, whose inventive genius finds the way to make it all come true.

The Bendix Economatic is a fully automatic agitator type, top loading washer. It is vibrationless and requires no bolting to the floor. The triple-action Wonderdub, secret of the Economatic is a tub that moves and works. The Wonderdub washes with improved agitator action. Then it squeezes in, under vacuum pressure, to force dirty suds and dirt down the bottom. Dirty water never filters back through clothes. Then the Wonderdub rinses twice in clean warm water. Finally, water is spun out to abrasion than steel wool, but it firmly closes in again under vacuum pressure, hugging every fold of the fabric until excess water is removed.

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Bendix has spent \$2,500,000 and two years to engineer the Economatic Automatic Washer, the first automatic washer of entirely new design since the original Bendix was created. And now it goes to market at the world's lowest price.

Cub Scout Pack 90 will hold a pack meeting in the Educational Building of the First Baptist church, in Hope, Thursday evening of next week, June 2, at 7:30. Cub Master, James E. Birkhead, will direct the program. A large number of badgers are to be presented. Chairman of the pack committee H. H. Spraggins is to present the badgers.

Mr. Birkhead is urging that all pack 90 parents be present at the pack meeting.

MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES
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When disorder of kidney function permits it may cause nagging backache, rheumatism, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with burning and stinging sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

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DOROTHY DIX Unwanted Parents

Dear Miss Dix: I think that it is the duty of all parents to give their personal attention to the rearing of their children and not to depend on nurses and governesses and baby-sitters to do the task. But I also think that all parents should make a provision for their old age so that they will not be dependent on their children.

I find from personal experience that no matter how much we fathers and mothers have loved and cherished our children that there comes a time when old people are a burden.

Answer: Certainly there could be no arguing about it being the duty, above all other duties, of parents to give all that they have wisdom and strength and high ideals to the shaping of the character of their children. For how a child turns out is not a matter of luck. It is relentless logic. Every baby who is born is clay in its parent's hands and they can out of it something noble and fine and beautiful, or they can neglect it and develop into something that is a heartache and a shame to them.

Parents owe much to their children, but not everything and when fathers and mothers sacrifice themselves to their youngsters they do them as deadly a wrong as malice itself could invent. And we see this happen so often that the spoiled brats who make doomsday of Pop and Mom and treat them with a contempt that they show to no other human being.

Parents Starve
All of us know plenty of fathers and mothers who starve that their children may eat cake; who go shabby that their children may have fine clothes; who literally work themselves to death to send their children to fashionable schools and who justify themselves for spending all they make on their children by saying that Mamie and Johnny will take care of them when they are old, that their children are their savings bank. But, unfortunately, grateful children are the exception, not the rule, and when mother and father get too old to work Johnny and Mamie do not often welcome them into their homes with cries of joy. They consider them an affliction.

The moral of all of which is that while parents should be generous to their children, they should never lose sight of the necessity of laying up a nest egg for themselves. It is better and happier for all concerned, for between parents who are independent and who have gifts to bestow, and parents who are pensioners, there is a great gulf fixed.

Dear Dorothy Dix: I am 19 years old. Was married when I was 16 and have a 15-month old baby girl. I stood my husband's drinking and cursing me for 2 years, then I went back to my family and got a divorce. Here is my problem:

A nice young man whom I have known all of my life has asked me to go out with him, but my father has a fit when I told him about it. He has forbidden my going out to any place of amusement unless my mother goes with me and stays with me all the time, and that's hard on her and me too. My father has never wanted me to have any boy friends and in fact, I never went out with my ex-husband alone until the night before we were married, and that was the first time he had ever come to my house. What should I do? I love my father and don't want to hurt him.

Answer: Your father is suffering from a complaint that is very common among men with an only daughter. He is simply eaten up with jealousy. He can't endure the thought of giving you up and of your loving some other man better than you do him.

Many a girl is an old maid because she had a green-eyed father who would never let her have any dates or boy friends, or go to any parties, or have any chance of meeting eligible young men. I have seen a man who was really a fine character and charming to everybody else, who grewled like a bad-tempered watch dog every time a boy came near his daughter and who was so insulting and unpleasant that no lad ever called on her twice.

You are young and you would be foolish to let a jealous father cut you off from any chance of marrying again. Assert your right to a husband. (Released by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Illiteracy data last collected by the Census in 1933 showed illiteracy in the United States had been cut to 4.3 per cent.

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Chinese Driver Doesn't Care Who Wins

Shanghai, May 25 (AP)—A Chinese driver edged his truck full of oil drums as close to the Gaoan bridge over Soochow creek as he could.

A battle between the Communists and Nationalists over the bridge was going on. Bullets whizzed through the air.

The truck driver shrugged. The bullets were not meant for him.

He yawned, nodded. Then he fell asleep.

An hour later he still slumbered. The battle went on.

Whoever wins will get the bridge—and the truck and oil drums.

U. S. Decides to Send Minister to Hungary

Washington, May 25 (UP)—The United States today decided to return a new American minister to Communist-dominated Hungary to succeed former Minister Selden Chapin whose recall was demanded last February.

President Truman nominated Nathaniel P. Davis, veteran foreign service officer and native of Princeton, N. J., to succeed Chapin, who returned to the United States on Feb. 12 from his Budapest post. Davis now is U. S. ambassador to Costa Rica.

Mr. Truman also nominated for

Prescott News

Thursday, May 25
There will be church visitation Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the First Baptist church.

Monday, May 30
A Family Pot-Luck supper will be held at the First Presbyterian church Monday night May 30.

Mrs. Jack Cooper
Hostess to Circle 1
Circle 1 of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist church met on Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Mrs. Cooper opened the meeting with prayer. The circle chairman, Mrs. J. T. McRae presided over the business. Mrs. Leroy Phillips presented the study from the mission study book on "Prayer."

During the social hour the hostess served a delicious sandwich plate to: Mrs. C. F. Pedigo, Mrs. Watson White, Jr., Miss Hody Butler, Mrs. Watson Cottingham, Mrs. V. I. Worthington, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. O. J. Stephenson, Mrs. J. T. McRae and Mrs. Loyce Anderson. The next meeting will be June 20 in the home of Mrs. Leroy Phillips.

Mrs. C. C. Prince
Hostess to Circle 2
Mrs. C. C. Prince entertained

mer Rep. Pete Jarman, (D-Ala.) to be ambassador to Australia, succeeding Myron Melvin Cowen of Washington, D. C., who is now ambassador to the Philippines.

Circle 2 of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist church on Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Wendell Prescott.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Prince. Mrs. Thell Hanning conducted the business in the absence of the circle chairman, Mrs. Mettie Robinson. The minutes were read by Mrs. Hanning. The circle voted to meet twice a month during the summer season.

Mrs. John M. Pittman continued the study on "Prayer."

A refreshing ice course was served by the hostess to: Mrs. J. W. Grimes, Mrs. Ruben Jester, Mrs. Earl Humble, Mrs. Claud Cox, Mrs. Alice Clark, Mrs. Roy Loomis, Mrs. John Pittman, Mrs. Thell Hanning and Mrs. Prescott. Mrs. Ike Avery was welcomed as a guest of the circle.

The Methodist church honored its seniors with a breakfast in their department at the Sunday school hour on Sunday morning. Mr. Russell Moberg and Mrs. Charlie Thomas are teachers in the department.

OES Banquet
The OES of Prescott, with Bluff City as co-hostess, entertained with a banquet at the Lawson Hotel Thursday, May 19, 6:30 p.m., honoring the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Eugenia Hardin of Little Rock. Other distinguished guests present were, Mrs. Nina Warnock,

PGM, Mrs. Edith McClain, PGM, Mrs. Minnie Haylie, DDGL, Mr. L. A. Hardin, AGS, Mrs. Louise Wells, GP. The dining room was beautifully decorated with crystal bowls of sweet peas, and other greenery. The center piece for the table was a unique floral star of the emblematic colors centered with the colors of the WGM, pink, silver and blue. Hand painted place cards marked the guests plates. Mrs. Marcelene McMahan, program chairman led the group in singing "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All here." It isn't any trouble just to smile, then a ladies quartet consisting of Mrs. L. J. Bryson, Mrs. R. L. Eaton, Miss Jeanette Gardner, and Mrs. Joe E. Hamilton, was presented in several numbers, Jeanie with the Light Brown Hair, Bless This House, and some Folks Do; accompanied by Mrs. J. C. Stegar on the piano and directed by Mrs. James V. McMahan at the violin.

Mrs. Brice Stewart gave a humorous reading, "The Projean Son".

The group proceeded to the Masonic Hall which was made lovely with large floor baskets of beautiful white lilies, and bowls of verbeena and sweet peas. At the invitation of the Worthy Patron, Mr. N. N. Daniel, the Worthy Matron and other officers entered the chapter room. The hall lights were turned out with the exception of those at the altar, and lighted candles showed the station of the star points, the officers entered carrying lighted candles, forming a cross and singing "The Old Rugged Cross," which was very impressive. After introduction Sister Eugenia Hardin delivered a very instructive and impressive message. Refreshments were served from a table made lovely with white linen cloth, crystal bowl with sweet peas, crystal candle sticks and pink tapers. Guests were present from Arkadelphia, Gurdon, Magnolia, Friendship, Hot Springs, and Bluff City.

Mrs. Betty Knobloch of Monticello and Mr. August Hamilton, who were united in marriage at Monticello Friday afternoon at 4:30 were guests for a short while of his mother Mrs. E. J. Hamilton, and his sister, Mrs. Henry H. Thompson. The couple returned to Monticello on Monday afternoon where Mr. Hamilton will resume his studies at the A & M College.

W. V. Tompkins, C. H. Tompkins, D. L. McRae, Jr., H. H. McKenzie, R. D. Rouse, W. F. Denman, Sr. and W. F. Denman, Jr., local attorneys attended the meeting of the Arkansas Bar Association held at the Arlington Hotel, Hot Springs over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barger had as their guests for the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dickinson and family of New Orleans. Mr. and Mrs. George Cavanah and family of Pine Bluff, and Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Nicholas of Lewisville.

Miss Dorothy Wilson of Little Rock was the weekend guest of her mother, Mrs. Edna Wilson, and her sister Mrs. John Williams Davis and Mr. Davis.

Horace Cottingham of Little Rock spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Watson Cottingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Stovall spent Sunday in Hope.

Ed Cantley of Deanyville was the Sunday guest of friends and relatives.

Mrs. Horace Estes has returned to her home in Gurdon after a visit with her mother Mrs. S. H. McMahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hale, Mrs. Thomas Dewoody and daughter, Sharon have returned from Denton, Texas where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Archer.

A. E. McGuire who has been the guest of his son Dillon McGuire and family in Des Moines, Iowa has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blakely of Longview, Texas spent a part of last week visiting relatives.

Arthur Miller of Mt. Moriah spent Monday in Prescott.

Mrs. Matt Hitt of Little Rock was the weekend guest of her father Mr. M. W. Greeson and other relatives.

Mrs. Cleveland Hitt of Little Rock visited Mr. and Mrs. Orin Ellsworth and Mr. and Mrs. S. T. White over the weekend.

Mrs. H. H. McKenzie and Mrs. Lucille Elgin attended the reunion at Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, Sunday. Mrs. McKenzie also attended a 1929 class reunion luncheon at the Cadco Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Hesterly had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Frank McFarly and son Mac of Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Meltsae and their guests Pvt. and Mrs. Don Sallie and son Thomas Gene of Belleville, Ill. were the guests of relatives in Texarkana Sunday.

Dr. C. A. Archer of Conway spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Stephenson. Dr. Archer and children who have been visiting here accompanied Dr. Archer home. Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson accompanied them to Hot Springs and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reynolds had as their guests for the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Larry Embrey of El Dorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Hines and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hines motored to El Dorado Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Lelus Nash and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staggs of Dallas, Tex. announce the arrival of a daughter Susan Ann, on May 22. Mrs. Staggs will be remembered by Prescott friends as Miss Lena Brathner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gildon of Texarkana were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Electa Wells and Mrs. Cora Mann.

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Bunche Turns Down Top Ranking State Department Job

Washington, May 25 (AP). — The grandson of a Negro slave today declined an offer of a top-ranking state department post because the pay is too low and because he

wants to go on serving the United Nations. Dr. Ralph Johnson Bunche, 44-year-old political scientist and scholar, was asked by President Truman to become an assistant secretary of state. He told reporters afterwards that he was "highly honored by the offer" but that he could not accept it for financial reasons and because he desired to continue as

Vicksburg District Engineer Is Transferred

Vicksburg, Miss., May 25 (AP). — Col. R. G. Lovett, district engineer here since May, 1946, today received orders transferring him to the office of the chief of engineers in Washington. He will assume the post of assistant chief of engineers for supply and procurement. His successor in Vicksburg will be Col. Benjamin Bowles who is now stationed at the industrial college in the District of Columbia. Col. Bowles is due to arrive here about the middle of July.

A top-ranking director of the United Nations' trusteeship department. That post pays \$14,000 a year tax free, while the state department position pays \$10,000, subject to taxes.

Communists May Have Seized Big Problem in Trying to Feed Captured Shanghai

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Foreign Affairs Analyst
The Communist capture of Shanghai is a further demonstration of the power behind the Red offensive which is sweeping southward in China, but it is a victory which may prove to be a mixed blessing. The question immediately arises as to how the conquerors are going to feed the population in this fourth largest city of the world.

It takes a lot of doing under the best of circumstances to provide for some 6,000,000 souls. And the circumstances surrounding this vast metropolis now are far from "best."

Before the present crisis Shanghai was fed under an arrangement with the American Economic Cooperation Administration. The administration provided half the food required, and the Chinese Nationalist government undertook to get the other half, buying it from the Asiatic rice-growing countries like Burma and from the countryside near Shanghai.

The ECA has had a great responsibility in the feeding of Shanghai, and still has on hand close to \$50,000,000 which congress has authorized it to spend for China during the current year. However, the ECA has worked under a basic policy precluding the expenditure of this money to assist Communist-held areas. Therefore, unless there is a change in this policy, the supplies must now halt.

The ECA has figured on maintaining a 30 day supply of food and fuel oil in Shanghai. Nothing has gone into the city during the past week, owing to the Red siege, and so there may be about a three-week supply on hand.

After that — what? Even if the ECA continued to function, the task of securing sufficient food would be a terrific one, especially in view of crippled communications. Should Shanghai get really hungry, the situation would be appalling.

Presumably the Communists will have to purchase supplies in foreign countries from private sources — and move them fast in doing it. In that connection, while ECA is barred from trading with the Communists, there is nothing to prevent the Reds buying from private sources in the United States. Presumably those sources want the business.

As for the continued Communist successes in China, the United States is urging all nations with direct interests in the Far East to agree on a common policy toward the Chinese Communist regime, and not to grant official recognition hastily. Washington has taken this matter up with more than a dozen nations, but the chief concern of U. S. leaders is for unity of action between Britain and America.

Britain has greater business interests in that theatre than the United States. This reason there has been considerable concern in American circles lest London might be more anxious to establish working relations with the Communists.

There are indications that Britain wishes to reach a modus vivendi for areas which the Chinese Communists now control. She is said to lean to a policy of giving de facto recognition to the government which actually is running the country, such recognition, of course, merely being acknowledgment of the fact without putting a stamp of approval on the government.

However, Britain appears to be agreed that such recognition should be made on a common basis. As a matter of fact, it seems likely that the United Nations would enter into any sort of Chinese recognition. All in all, China is a member of the Big Five nations — America, Russia, Britain, France and China. Therefore none of the powers would be expected to rush headlong into recognition of a Communist government.

So far as America is concerned, Secretary of State Acheson is quoted as stating to a congressional committee that the United States wouldn't recognize any Chinese Communist regime so long as a Nationalist government continued to exist.

Berlin Rail Workers Reject Peace Feeler

Berlin, May 25 (AP). — West Berlin rail workers today turned down a peace feeler by the Russian-sponsored railway system and said they would continue their strike, now five days old.

Willy Kreikemeyer, president of the system, is offered to pay the workers in west marks. But this was only one of three main demands made by the 12,000 UGO (Independent Labor Organization) members.

The strikers also want recognition of UGO as the legal bargaining agent for the rail workers, and the re-hiring of employees fired for "political reasons" in the past year. Kreikemeyer said workers would be taken back, except those the company considered guilty of damaging property. This obviously left the rail system wide leeway in levying proposals.

It was indicated Kreikemeyer made his offer on Russian orders to end the bloody strike which has cost two lives, hundreds of injuries and split Berlin into two war camps.

Money also is a consideration. It is estimated the strike is costing the Communist railway the equivalent of more than a million dollars a day in passenger and freight revenue.

Keeping Money in Your Shoe Isn't Safe

Russellville, May 25 (AP). — Tip to taxicab drivers, don't hide your money in your shoes. Cabbie Guy Bowen had been keeping his money in his shoes. But last night a bandit held up Bowen, took his wallet and then on second thought ordered the driver to take off his shoes. Bowen reported to Pope County Sheriff Guy Hickman that \$200 was taken from the shoes.

Husband Learns Few Facts About a Wife

Camden, N. J., May 25 (UP). — When 19-year-old Francis J. Barry appeared in court to answer non-support charges filed by his pregnant wife, Doris, 14, Judge G. Rusling Leap ordered him to pay her \$12.50 a week.

"But I only earn \$11 a week," Barry reported.

"Then why don't you go back to live with your wife?" asked the judge.

"She argues too much," Barry said. "That, son, is a woman's and a wife's prerogative," answered Leap.

BIG BAD WOLF AFRAID

Harrison, May 25 (AP). — Maybe the big, bad wolf was afraid. Anyway, Game Warden Lefty Auman put a live wolf trapped near here into his truck and started for Harrison. When he arrived, the wolf was dead. Auman said fright must have been the cause.

Mishandles Funds

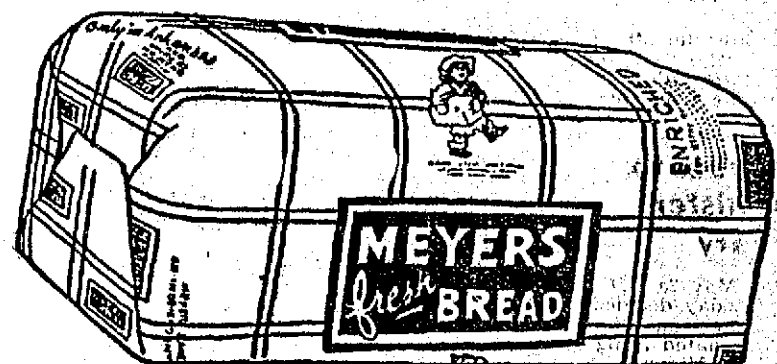
Indianapolis, May 25 (AP). — A court order today dismissed the Rev. Raymond G. Hoekstra, Indianapolis evangelist, as manager of "Little David" Walker's evangelist tours because of "unlawful" handling of funds.

handling of funds.

Probate Judge Dan. V. White voided Hoekstra's contract as manager of the 15-year-old boy evangelist, who claims he once spent five hours in heaven. The judge called it too liberal in granting control over David's finances. He ordered Hoekstra to turn over all the boy's

cash assets to James M. Davidson, guardian of the boy. The order also instructed Hoekstra to give Davidson the money spent from David's funds. Hoekstra, who lives in Orlando, Fla., held the boy in his home in Indianapolis. White ruled these funds were unlawfully

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Portsmouth, N. H.—Frank Stranahan and Willie Tarnesha carried U. S. hopes into the fourth round of the British amateur.

Harlech, Wales — Francis Stephens of England and Mrs. Val Reddan gained the finals of the British Women's amateur.

Tennis: — The favored Los Angeles team of Frank Parker and Richard Gonzales gained the semifinals in men's doubles in the French international championships.

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Mary Jean Hight — Plaintiff
vs.
J. T. Hight — Defendant
The Defendant, J. T. Hight is warned to appear in this court within thirty days and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff, Mary Jean Hight.

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Fair Enough

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James V. Forrestal, a loyal, brave and self-sacrificing servant of this republic, certainly was, as President Truman said on hearing of his sudden death, a casualty of the second world war. He was also a victim of the wanton blackguardism and mendacity of the radio, which has been a professional specialty of Drew Pearson. Pearson has become a man of great power and special privilege because other decent men like Forrestal go in fear of his fantastic lies to be spread over the nation by radio, all to stimulate the sale of a brand of hats or laxative. Pearson's current sponsor, Frank Lee, of Danbury, Conn., cannot escape a share of the responsibility for his false statements blackening the character of good men or implicating innocent citizens in discreditable or merely embarrassing episodes.

The American Broadcasting Company, which lends to this kind of radio material, must be motivated propaganda thinly disguised as news, once tried to disown responsibility and frankly advised a citizen who was the victim of a fictitious incident not to demand an apology or an apology. Ed Noble, the chief owner of the radio, professional New Dealer who prospered greatly by his political adherence in radio, said the amendment if it were made would be made in such a manner as to aggravate the original falsehood and make the victim wish that he had taken it lying down.

Pearson's motives are seldom apparent. But, whether ulterior or possibly, above-board, the fact is nevertheless that he has habitual "got on the wheel" of this or that defenseless personality in public life and inflicted such personal hurt as to deter decent men from entering public service.

In the case of Forrestal, Pearson made a false charge of discreditable cowardice. Forrestal, in the role of under secretary of the navy, a civilian job, made four landings with the marines, behind the assault waves, on Pacific islands held by the Japanese. Frank-Forrestal held a similar position during the first world war. It is no disparagement of him to point out that Roosevelt's only experience anywhere near the front in France consisted of tours of inspection and considerable panoply and privilege, not personal intimacy with danger. The contrast does favor Forrestal nevertheless.

On January 16, 1949, over Station WJZ of the American Broadcasting Company's network, Pearson purporting to speak at the White House, called up Forrestal. At least his voice said, "The White House: Well, President Truman was about to accept the resignation of Secretary For-Forrestal. To last Sunday, he heard Walter Winchell's broadcast about Forrestal's income tax finagling in the 1930's."

In newspaper and press association language, that term "the White House" is the start of an item is called the date line. The date line is the source or the ostensible source of the facts or falsehoods which then ensue and, in this case, clearly implied to the public that Forrestal was reading a dispatch direct from the White House. As to whether this was a truthful representation of the individual citizen may draw his own conclusions.

Whereupon, Pearson continued, "Truman sent for a transcript of the Winchell broadcast and literally hit the ceiling. 'I'm not going to let that little son of a bitch, tell me who I'm going to keep in my cabinet.' And a day later, he told Forrestal he could stay on, at least for the time being."

There ensued a paragraph of artful smear concerning Forrestal's income tax based on Pearson's own independent charge which for its credibility relies on Pearson's own record of erroneous, not to say false, statements.

Then Pearson said: "For my part, I personally think Mr. Forrestal is a very nice and charming gentleman. But I agree with Walter Winchell that a man who avoids taxes by concealing his money in a foreign country cannot command the respect of boys who are drafted into the army."

You are invited here to note that Pearson does not charge that Forrestal was guilty of any wrong but does a job of log-rolling for another equally mendacious, ulterior and malicious radio terrorist whose

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr.

Legion Donates Game to Waldo By Error Route

New York, May 26 — (AP) — It must be catching. . . . While major league fans are wondering how long the Giants will stay up, the international leaguers are asking the same question about Jersey City.

The Little Giants were a seventh or eighth place pick before the season, but they're breezing along in front for no apparent reason. Three so-so pitchers, Wes Bailey, George Bamberger and Roger Bowhan — are carrying the load; Catcher Wes Westrum, a .160 hitter with the big Giants last year, is belting the ball a mile and Monte Irvin, up from the minors, has done some things as hitting homers to left, right and center fields in one game. . . . One thing seems sure; if the major leaguers have trouble with Brooklyn's Don Newcombe, they should call on the farmhands.

Newcombe faced the Little Giants twice this year and had his ears pinned back both times.

Coincidence Corner

In the Southeastern Conference track meet at Birmingham, Ala., Charles "Buster" Lowther, Louisiana State pole vaulter, was going over the bar and broke his left leg in two places. . . . Just two years before, Buster's older brother, Bobby, was trying to give L. S. U. the conference pole vault record in the same meet on the same day. He made a bad landing and broke his left leg. . . . They didn't fracture any records, but apparently they set a record for fractures.

Shorts And Shells

The Cleveland Browns are disbanding their band (quaint, ain't it?) because the price of tickets and halfbacks is so high that the famous musical majorettes are off the payroll.

The Oakland Bittners, one of the top AAU basketball clubs, have apparently lost the price of tickets and halfbacks. And another report says a Brooklyn group is considering the same league.

Oklahoma U. will lose all but two of its baseball regulars by graduation in June, and nearly half the football starters and two basketball stars. Must be time to plant a new crop.

Pace Setting of Yanks Now Gets Serious

New York, May 26 — (UP) — Unless somebody starts taking the Yankees seriously very soon it is going to be too late to stop them from running away with the race.

On almost every front the consensus is that the Yankees can keep up their record-breaking early season pace which has been better than any of their celebrated championship dynasties. Boston is said to be the team to beat, and despite their slow start, Cleveland's world champion Indians still have more supporters than the Yankees.

Especially when they do hit home runs like a 500-footer last night in Washington.

But what do the Yankees have to do to rate recognition? They have won 13 out of 15 games at home and 17 away plus record against every team except Philadelphia and Cleveland. They are 4-0 against St. Louis, 4-1 against Washington, 4-2 against Cleveland and 2-3 against Philadelphia.

Five of their 10 defeats have been by one run and only once have they lost a one-sided game, an 11 to 2 decision against the Red Sox.

Baseball

By The Associated Press

American League
Cleveland at Washington (night). Detroit at New York. St. Louis at Boston. Only games scheduled.

National League
Pittsburgh at St. Louis (night). Only game scheduled.

Yesterday's Results
American League
New York 6 Detroit 2.
St. Louis 6 Boston 4.
Washington 2 Philadelphia 6 Chicago 4.

National League
St. Louis 3 Boston 0.
Brooklyn 6 Pittsburgh 6.
Cincinnati 3 Philadelphia 2.
Chicago 3 New York 2.

Southern Association
Nashville 6 Atlanta 2.
Chattanooga 14 Birmingham 11.
Memphis 9 Mobile 1.
New Orleans 7 Little Rock 4.

Texas League
Shreveport 1-2 Beaumont 0-4.
San Antonio 4 Houston 3.
Fort Worth 6 Dallas 5.
Tulsa 9 Oklahoma City 6.

International League
Toronto 1 Rochester 0.
Newark 7 Syracuse 4.
Jersey City 4 Baltimore 2.
Buffalo 8 Montreal 3.

American Association
Indianapolis 3 Louisville 2.
Toledo 8 Columbus 5.
Only games scheduled.

Montreal's Canadians spent more time in the penalty box, 782 minutes — than the members of any other National Hockey League team in 1949.

Arkansas Bankers Elect New Officers

Hot Springs, May 25 — (AP) — The Arkansas Bankers Association today elected W. C. Blewster of Magnolia to his first full term as president.

Blewster filled the unexpired term of Barry Vaughan of Fayetteville, when the latter moved from Arkansas last October.

Other officers elected by the association at the close of its convention here today were:

Shelby Ford, Springdale, vice president; Jeff Burnett, Little Rock, secretary; and R. J. Rice, North Little Rock treasurer.

Barons Blow Chance to Take Over First Place

By The Associated Press

The Birmingham Barons blew a chance to take over first place in the Southern Association last night when the Chattanooga Lookouts came from way behind to nip them, 14 to 11.

Pete Mallory and his Nashville Vol-tenmates scored a 6 and 2 decision over the first-place Atlanta Crackers.

New Orleans moved into third place with a 7 to 5 victory over the Little Rock Travelers. It was the Barons' first loss in five times out, the Pelicans bunched their 12 hits to score three counters in the second, a pair in the fifth and added one each in the eighth and ninth. They took the lead for keeps in the third, when Bobby Kellogg doubled in one run and then crossed the plate himself to break a 3 and 2 tie. Jim Atkins was credited with the victory. Nel Saulia was the loser.

The Mobile Bears suffered their sixth straight loss at the hands of Marvin Rotblatt and the Memphis Chicks, who whipped them 9 to 1.

Thursday night's games: New Orleans at Little Rock. Birmingham at Chattanooga. Mobile at Memphis. Atlanta at Nashville.

Price, Wilson Top Skeeet Shooters

Bud Price of Garland won the high score prize at Wednesday's Skeeet Shoot on the flip of a coin. Bud Price and Jim Wilson were tied for high score, each with a 50 out of 50, when dark came and it was too late for a shoot-off. The prize, a Thermos Jug, given by Huddle Hardware of Hope, went to the Garland City man.

The ladies prize, a Textron Blouse, donated by the Chas. A. Haynes Company, went to Louise Griffin for shooting 22 out of 25.

Fifty-seven rounds were shot during the afternoon with straight being shot by Bud Price, Jim Wilson, Geo. Wylie, and Bill Cantland.

Next week the prizes will be donated by Hope Furniture Co. Ladies prize, and Lewis McLarty, men's prize. These prizes may be seen in the windows of the above business houses. Local merchants and business men are sponsoring the Hope Skeeet club all season with gifts of merchandise to be used for prizes each week for the highest score shot on the local field.

League Leaders

By The Associated Press

American League
Batting — Zernial, Chicago, .366.
Sievers, St. Louis, .349.
Runs — Joost, Philadelphia 42.
Williams, Boston, 30.
Runs Batted In — Williams, Boston, 34.
Stolen Bases — Dillinger, St. Louis, 5.
Pitching — Lopat, New York 4-0 1.000; Byrne, New York 3-0 1.000.
Strikeouts — Newhouse, Detroit, 42.
Trucks, Detroit, 37.
National League
Batting — Marshall, New York, .368.
Schmidt, St. Louis, .363.
Runs — Marshall, New York 30.
Gordon, New York 29.
Runs Batted In — Robinson, Brooklyn, 34.
Mize, New York, 27.
Hits — Lockman, New York 43.
Dark Boston 48.
Doubles — Jones, Philadelphia, 37.
14, Robinson, Brooklyn, 11.
Triples — Furillo, Brooklyn 29.
Smalley, Chicago, 4.
Home Runs — Mize, New York, 4.
Kiner, Pittsburgh 9.
Stolen Bases — Robinson, Brooklyn, 6.
Reese and Hermanski, Brooklyn, Lockman, New York 4.
Pitching — Branca, Brooklyn 7-0 1.000; Lively, Cincinnati, 4-1 .800.
Strikeouts — Branca, Brooklyn, 41.
Spahn, Boston, 39.

Tournament Becomes a Wild Scramble

Richmond, Va., May 26 (AP) — Eight top-drawer professionals faced probable elimination today as the thirty-first PGA tournament became a wild scramble to overhaul George Seneiter of Ogden, Utah, in the battle for medalist honors.

Today's test over the 6,677-yard Hermitage Country club layout 2 for the second 18-hole round of 36 holes of medal play. It will narrow the field of 136 down to 64 for the start of match competition Friday.

Seneiter, the 36-year-old boss of the traveling pros, was superb yesterday as he tamed the windswept course in five-under-par 66, third place with 68's.

Golf's big-wigs who were in danger of being eliminated today were Dick Metz of Virginia Beach, Va., and Arkansas City, Kan. Denny Shute of Akron, Ohio; and Toney Penna, of Cincinnati with 75's; Craig Wood of New York, Chick Harbert of Detroit, Vic Ghezzi of Englewood, N. J., and Horton Smith of Detroit, with 76, and Lawson Little of Monterey, Calif., 77.

Shute and Ghezzi are former PGA champions. Four other ex-ists did not better. Sammy Snead of the Sulphur Springs, Va., scored a two-under-par 69 to tie four others for fifth place, Jim Ferrier of San Francisco and Gene Sarazen of Germantown, N. Y., carded 72's and Bob Hamilton of Landover, Md., a 73.

A stroke behind Schnepfer was surprising Jack Isaacs, Langley Field, Va., professional, whose only claim to country-wide golfing fame is that he won the na-

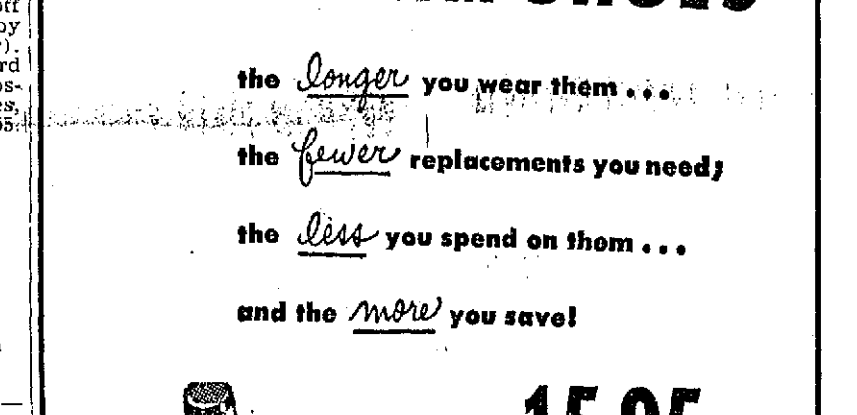
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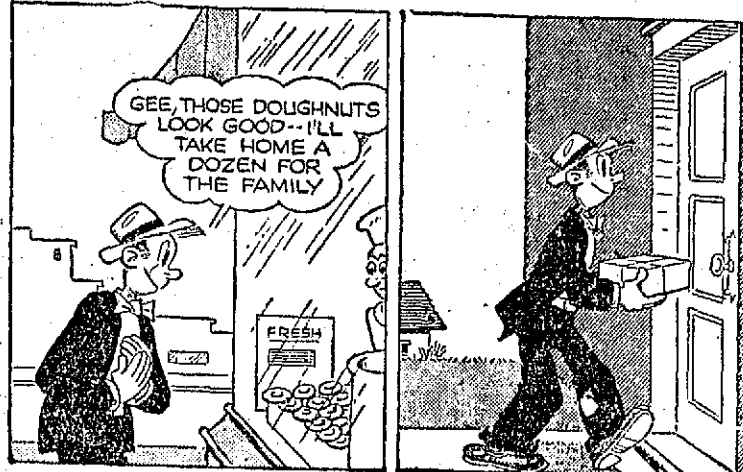
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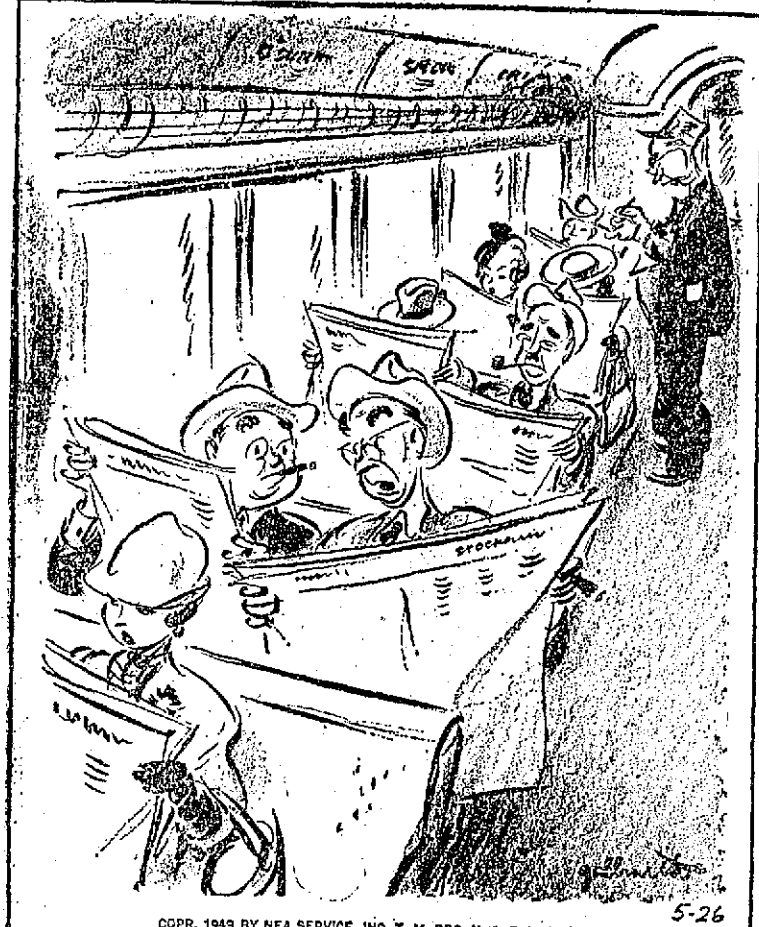


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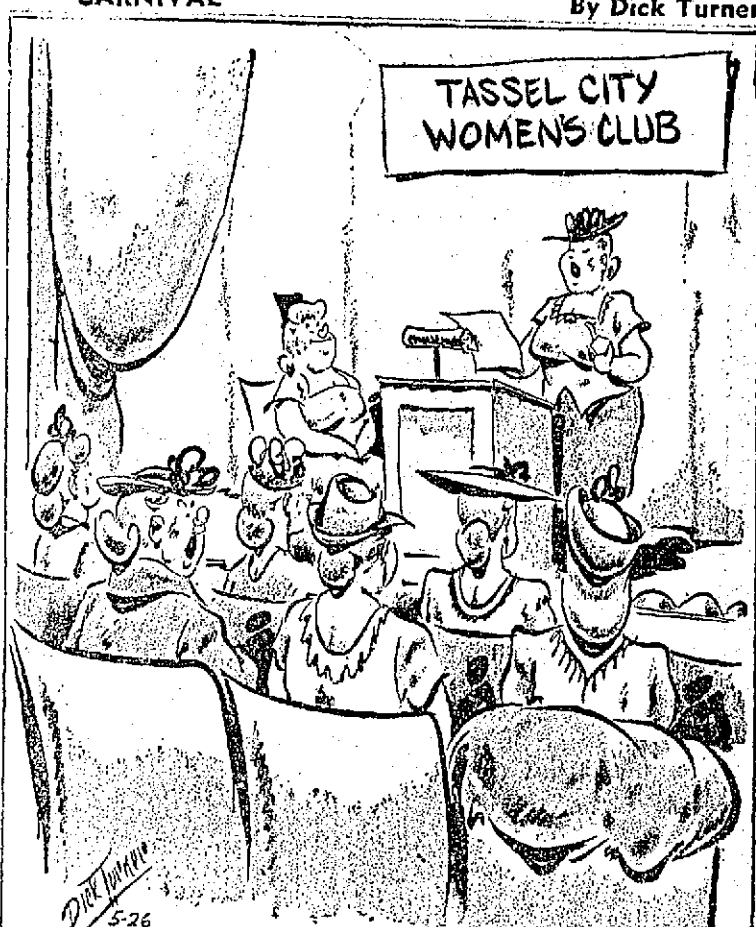
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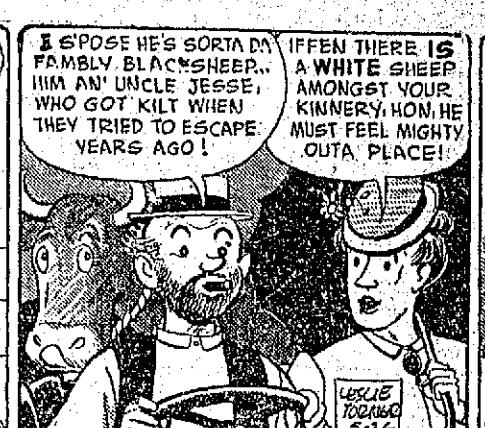
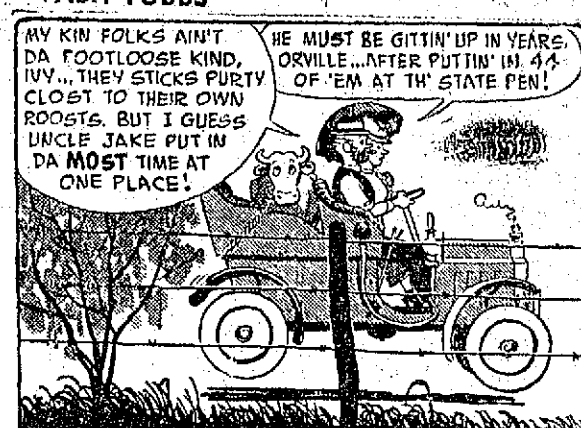
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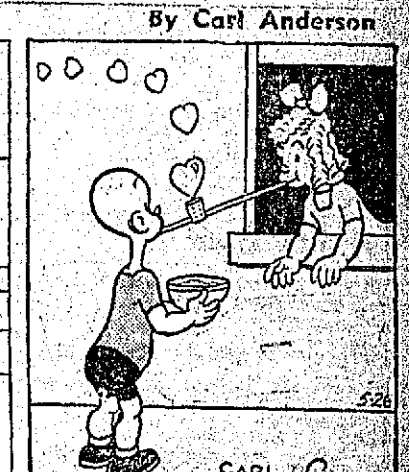
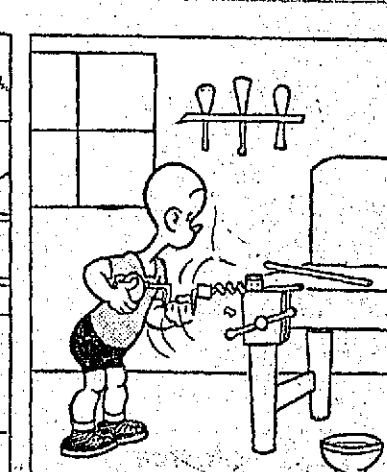
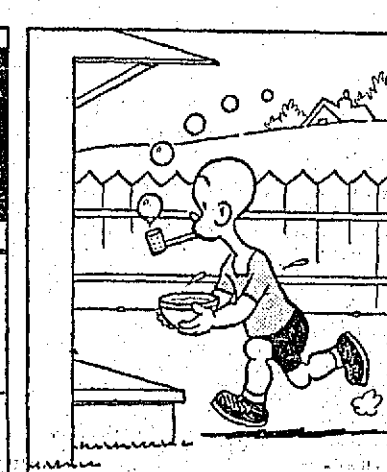
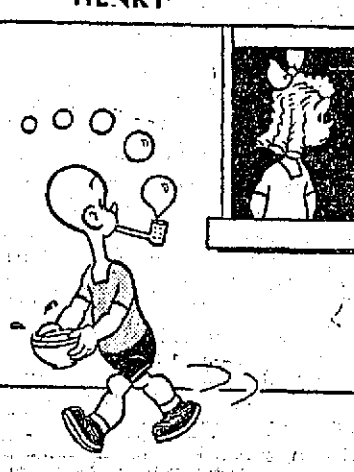
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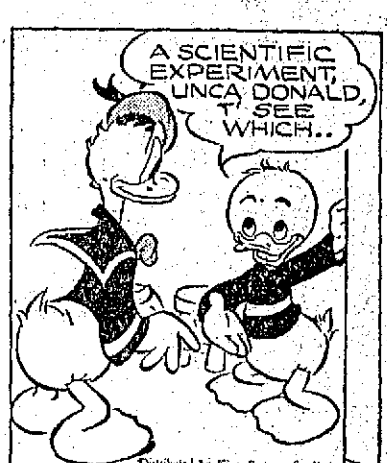
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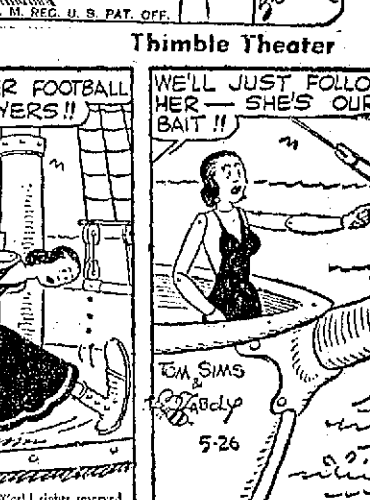
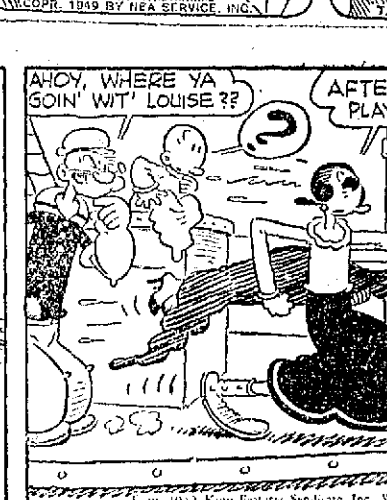
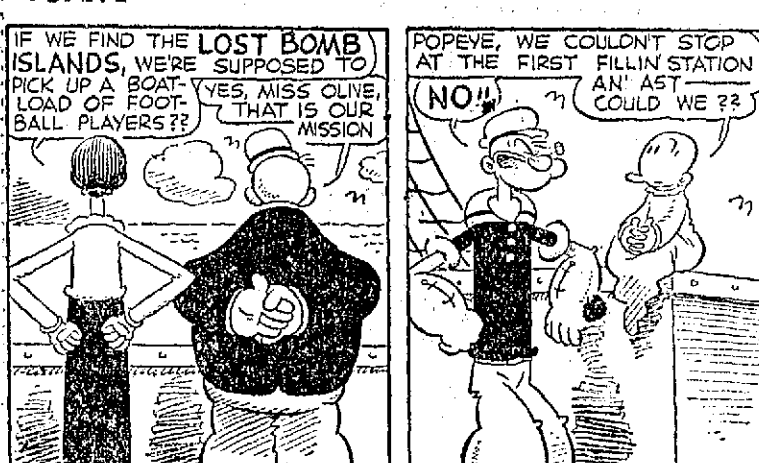


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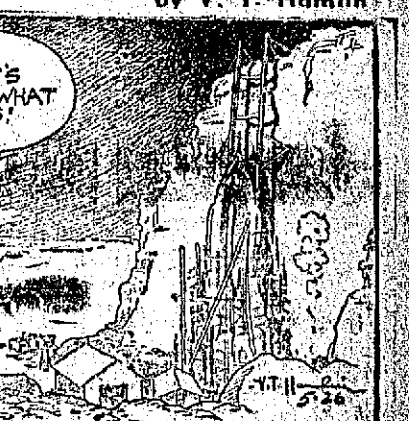
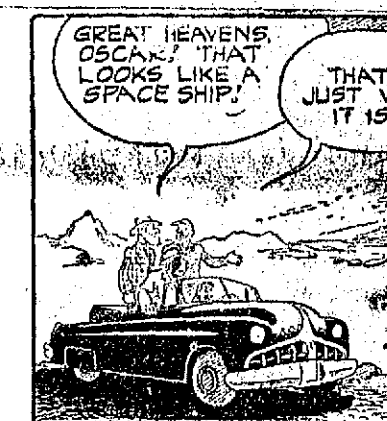
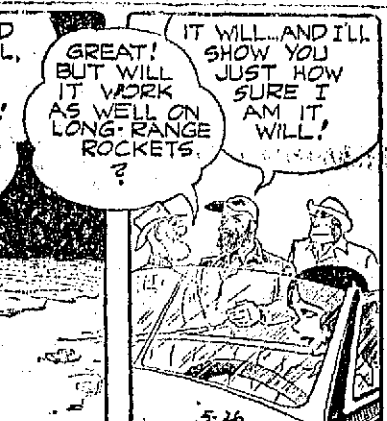


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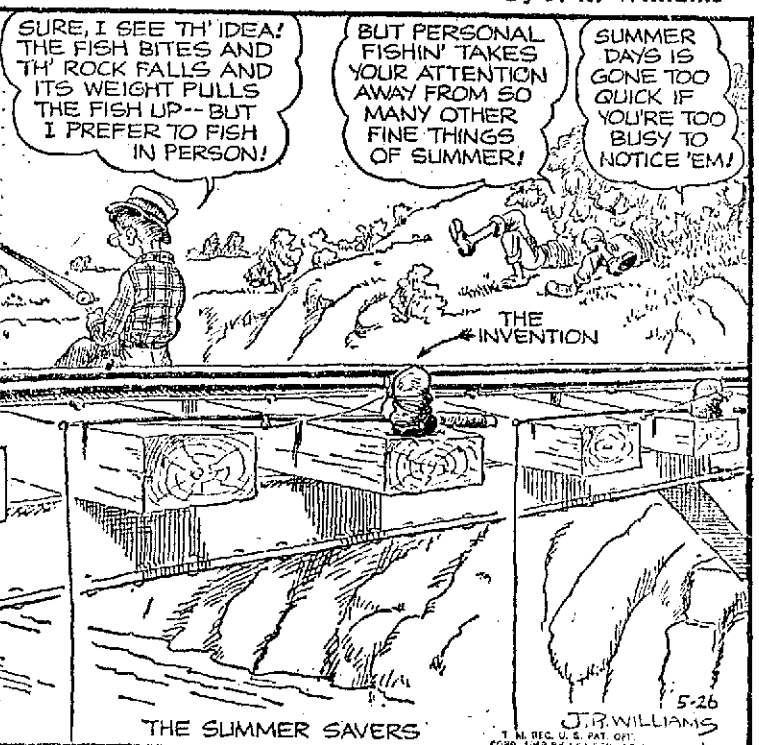
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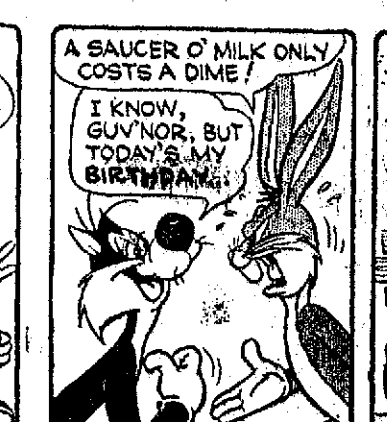


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Employment, Wages Decline in Arkansas

Little Rock, May 25 (AP).—Both employment and the average wages in Arkansas declined slightly in April, compared to March.

The Arkansas Employment Security division reported today that non-agricultural employment, excluding construction, was 273,200 in April and the average weekly wage was \$37.15.

The April employment was 4,000 above that for the corresponding month of 1948.

Employment Security Administrator Homer M. Adkins said variations in wage averages over the last 10 months have been due primarily to changes in the number of hours worked per week.

The average work week dropped from 43 hours in March to 38.9 in April.

The number of persons receiving unemployment compensation dropped from a mid-April total of 19,400 to 18,500 on May 14, the agency said. The drop was attributed to persons exhausting benefits for which they are eligible rather than to a decline in unemployment.

Unemployment payments in April totaled \$786,852, or 23 per cent less than the March total.

Payments to unemployed World War Two veterans totaled \$482,652 in April, compared to \$651,365 in March—a drop of 24 per cent.

Quachita Co's Checks From This Section

Arkadelphia, May 25 (AP).—Baptist churches and individuals in Arkansas want to help finance replacement of Quachita college's main building, which was destroyed by fire yesterday.

President J. R. Grant of the denominational school here said today telephone calls and letters offering assistance were flowing into his office.

And the Rev. J. W. Buckner, pastor of the First Baptist church at Crossett, apparently started something when he pledged his church to give \$1,000 if 100 other Baptist churches in Arkansas would do the same. The First Baptist church of Hot Springs was one of the first to accept the challenge.

Grant also said the college had received checks from individuals at Hope and Texarkana.

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Federal Jury Out to Deport Harry Bridges

San Francisco, May 25 (AP).—Harry Bridges, president of the left-wing CIO Longshoremen's union, was indicted by a federal grand jury today. He was charged with perjury and conspiracy to obstruct and defeat the naturalization laws.

The government also sought to revoke the citizenship of the Australian-born labor leader. He is reported to be in New York.

Bridges was charged with swearing he was not a member of the Communist party, when he had in fact been a member of the Communist party from 1933 until and up to his naturalization Sept. 7, 1945.

Two other officials of Bridges' International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's union, J. R. Robertson and Henry Schmidt, were indicted with him.

Bail for the three was set at \$5,000 each.

In one count the three charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States by obstructing and defeating the proper administration of the naturalization laws. A possible penalty of seven years imprisonment and \$15,000 fine could be imposed on each of the three.

Military Plane Purchases May Be Probed

Washington, May 25 (AP).—With a pointed allusion to Defense Secretary Johnson's former business affiliation with an aircraft company, Rep. Van Zandt (R-Pa.) today proposed a congressional investigation of military plane purchases.

He introduced a resolution calling for appointment of a special five-member house committee to look into the nature and circumstances of the purchases and "prior or present" connections of any military officials with any company which has sold aircraft to the government.

Secretary Johnson formerly was a director of Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corp. which makes the giant B-36 bombers.

A great deal of information has come to my attention within recent weeks regarding the unusually large purchases of aircraft from Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corp., controlled by Floyd Odlum, a heavy contributor to the democratic campaign, and a company of which Louis Johnson was, until three days after his nomination as secretary of defense by the president, a director and Washington counsel.

Johnson had no comment on Van Zandt's action, and the Navy's New York office said he was out of the city and could not be reached today.

Nationalists Trying to Escape Via Sea

Shanghai, May 25 (AP).—The battle of Shanghai roared toward climax tonight on the road to Woosung, where the fleeing garrison is fighting to escape by sea.

Violent Communist cannonading, turned on Woosung fortress and its approaches to cut off retreat, shook this great Chinese city throughout its first night under the Red banner.

The whole horizon to the north burst into flame. The beaten Nationalists were believed to be blowing up fuel, bomb and ammunition dumps in their withdrawal through the Red barrage.

Mortar fire and the hammer of town Shanghai, communist mop-up squads strove to dislodge stubborn rearguards who hold Shanghai's Szechow creek bridges covering the garrison's retreat.

It was a night far stormier than any of the three weeks siege. The siege was broken abruptly early today when the Communists marched unopposed into the heart of Shanghai.

(Canton, the refugee capital in South China, was deep in gloom. A dispatch from there said officials believe Canton will be the next objective. The cabinet met in special session to discuss the situation.)

All communications were cut off to Woosung, 10 miles north of Shanghai. It was impossible to tell if the Nationalists were making good on this Oriental Dunkerque.

All Tuesday night thousands of Nationalist soldiers, trucks and guns rolled north toward Woosung. A large number of Nationalist ships were assembled there, waiting to take them off.

After the garrison left the Communists came.

The Communist troops, battle-wise and efficient, lost no time in occupying all major positions in the center of the city but they ran into trouble when they tried to move into the northern district.

When they appeared on the bund, Shanghai's famous waterfront, unexpected gunfire drove them to cover.

They found upon moving up to Szechow creek, which flows into the Whangpoo after bisecting the city, that a few hundred determined Nationalist rear-guards held the bridges.

There are three main bridges on the best routes from downtown Shanghai to the northern front. All three of these were manned by Nationalist rear-guards.

Approximately 25 Americans and other foreigners were in the Broadway mansions as the battle roared below them. Others were in the embankment building nearby on the West.

Communist discipline was firm. No one was molested. There was no looting.

CAMP PLANNED

Little Rock, May 25 (AP).—The Arkansas forestry camp for 4-H and FFA club members will be held at Petit Jean state park July 18-23, State Forester Fred Lang announced today.

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